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JUST AS the Quigg is bent the Platt 's inclined.

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IT MAY BE that John Sherman talks too much, but it may at least be said of him that he always manages to say something.

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"I WILL continue to fight," says Debs, "though the stars fall." Debs is a powerful fighter, but we feel that the stars are safe.

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FORMERLY the retired slugger umpired a drinking-place. Now he elevates the stage and manages ball-games. It is progress.

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SINCE IT WAS announced that the angels of heaven were not women many men have gone to the bad with the utmost rapidity.

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THIS IS ONE of those periods in Spain during which Don Carlos is resurrected for the purpose of putting him under ground again

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WHAT THE WORKER saves through idleness in the penitentiaries he pays out in taxes for the keeping of convicts in that condition.

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THE QUESTION whether the Italian officers were cowardly in Abyssinia is of course settled in the negative by the wounding of Prince Henri.

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SAM JONES tells just who will go to heaven and who won't. The less a man knows about the other states of existence the wiser he thinks he is.

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DR. SIMPSON talked seventy thousand dollars out of one meeting at Old Orchard the other day, and, oddly enough, he did it by condemning the folly of wealth.

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HALL CAINE gets about twenty-five thousand dollars for his new novel, and half the world is now enjoying itself by suppressing sobs and shedding copious tears.

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IT IS NOT startling to read that Arthur Pue Gorman will retire from politics. The dear man couldn't break into politics again if he were a burglar with all the tools known to the profession.

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WE CALL the attention of the person who tells how to live on a nickel a day to the astounding fact that a Chicago man had five wives on a salary of sixty dollars a month and that he is still alive.

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THE CROPS in Kansas this year may be worth a hundred million dollars; but the argument in behalf of the suffering farmer may be kept up because Mrs. Lease can't or won't pay up a six-hundred-dollars mortgage.

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THE MARRIED WOMAN of Altoona, Pennsylvania, who shot a man because he refused to elope with her has thereby vindicated the man's judgment. What a time he would have had if he had accepted the invitation.

HIGHLY RECOMMENDED.

MR JACKSON—"Didn't de boss gib yo' a recommend w'en yo' left?"

MR. JOHNSON—"Oh, yes. He recommended Fakem's nervine fo' 'dat tired feelin'.'"

IMPOSSIBLE.

WE CANNOT believe that Mr. Bryan is making twenty-five thousand dollars a year by his talks on hard times, because if that were so the people would be guilty of an extravagance in behalf of a single luxury that would be possible only during a period of great prosperity.

THE DUEL IN POLITICS.

IT IS NOT politically safe for a pretender to the French throne to fight a duel unless he kills his man. Boulanger might have told Henri that. And if he kills his man he will stand about equal chances as between death under the republic and the revolution that might put him on a new and at present totally unexpected throne.

A FOOLISH PAIR.

A BURGLAR, packing silver, suddenly saw a pretty girl asleep, and immediately stopped his work and kissed her. She awoke and screamed. Of course he ran away, and to her unutterable regret she couldn't catch him. There is a lesson here. Both were too hasty. It will presently turn out that she wanted him to do it again.

A HERETIC AGAINST HIS COLLEGE.

A DANGEROUS PRECEDENT is created by the discharge of President Andrews of Brown university because of his silver proclivities; but there would have been danger to the university if he had remained. What to do in such cases is a puzzling question; but, happily, men like Andrews rather rejoice in being martyrs, and take resignedly the results of their mental eccentricity.

LET THE RULE WORK BOTH WAYS.

THE ENGLISH GIRLS who are rebelling against the importation of rich American girls by foreign noblemen have a just cause, but the foolishness of the American heiress is not to be cured. Their better remedy is to import American husbands, with or without wealth, if those desirable gentlemen are not to be caught abroad; and we do assure them that they will thus get better husbands than if they married a dozen titles at a time.

AN EXCEPTIONAL CASE.

ALICE M. BARNET, the Boston stenographer who committed suicide, was a defaulter to the extent of three thousand dollars. She speculated in stocks and lost. She tried to burn the books of her employers to hide her guilt, but failed in that. The JUDGE alludes to the case as exceptional in the fact that the guilty person was a woman, and that the amount taken was small. It is lucky for the firm stolen from that the thief was not a man.

DEATH AND THE NATIONAL GAME.

THE IMPORTANCE of base-ball as it is played in Indian territory may be judged from the fact that the execution of a young Indian for murder was postponed by the governor of the Choctaw nation from a recent Saturday to the following Monday, to enable the murderer to play with his nine a farewell game. The white man's respect for the game is not as absurd, but it might occasionally call for the adjournment of congress and that of a few legislatures.

BY AUTHORITY?

"THERE ARE NO American humorists now," firmly remarks the *Bookman*. That was our opinion until we read the quoted words and considered the supreme air of authority which attended their utterance. Is it possible, however, for the opinion of one man to be conclusive in the minds of millions? There are many kinds of humor, and the receptive person may like any kind more than that which the *Bookman* would select as the only genuine article.

GOOD TIMES AT THE NEW DIGGINGS.

THE KLONDIKE has no terrors for the new woman. Inside of thirty working hours a dressmaker in Dawson City made ninety dollars, and she naturally says she likes the climate. Women newspaper writers are going from everywhere, and the diggings will presently have as many women as men. This is a great improvement on the experience of the 'forty-niners. Perhaps the reader will recall a picture in one of Mark Twain's books of a long line of gold-diggers taking turns at a knot-hole which reveals to their enraptured sight a thin, small, consumptive woman, a new arrival and the first person of that sex they had seen in years.

A FELLOW FEELING.

DISAPPOINTED SUITOR (*savagely*)—" What's that, you little imp? You say you just overheard your sister tell me she would be a sister to me, and that you are glad of it?"

SMALL BROTHER (*meekly*)—" Yeth, thir—mithery loves company, thir."

SILENT ELOQUENCE.

One of Mr. McGarvey's stories.

SOME av th' greatest t'ings do be uttered in soilence.

One noight Oi saw Googan roarin' drunk an' Oi troied t' git him home, but he wouldn't hov it. Thin Oi took howld av him, an' he shpit a bad name from his tongue an' give me a t'ump in th' nick, an' iveryt'ing Oi said Oi couldn't hear mesilf.

Oi wint moy way, an' Googan shtayed out till a payler took him in.

'Twor th' nixt marnin' Oi shtopped in t' see Molly an' th' kid whoile Oi wor hurryin' t' me work, an' she wor bindin' over th' little bid in th' corner loike a shwait rainbow, an' says Oi," What's up?" An' says she, " Little Pat 's dithly sick." " Did yez hov a doctor?" says Oi. " Oi didn't," says she, " for Oi hod no one t' sind." " Yer man 's a—a cuss," says Oi. She looked at me wid thim blue oyes an' reploied niver a word.

Shure, it took me a long toime t' git a doctor, but Oi hod him there loike a brick from th' top av a skoy-shcraper, an' he looked at th' kid an' says he, " Oi'm afraid he's goin' t' break away from yez."

A sort av a whishtlin' sound come from th' poor girl's lips, but 'twor drownded wid th' squaikin' av th' door as Googan intered lookin' rid an' black about th' oyes. He saw somethin' wor wrong before he'd a chance t' look at anyt'ing at all, an' before he could git his t'ick tongue shtarted Molly t'rew her airms about his nick an' her tears shtreamed on his shoulder. Thin in a whiff she wor back t' th' bid, where th' doctor wor shtandin' buttonin' his coat.

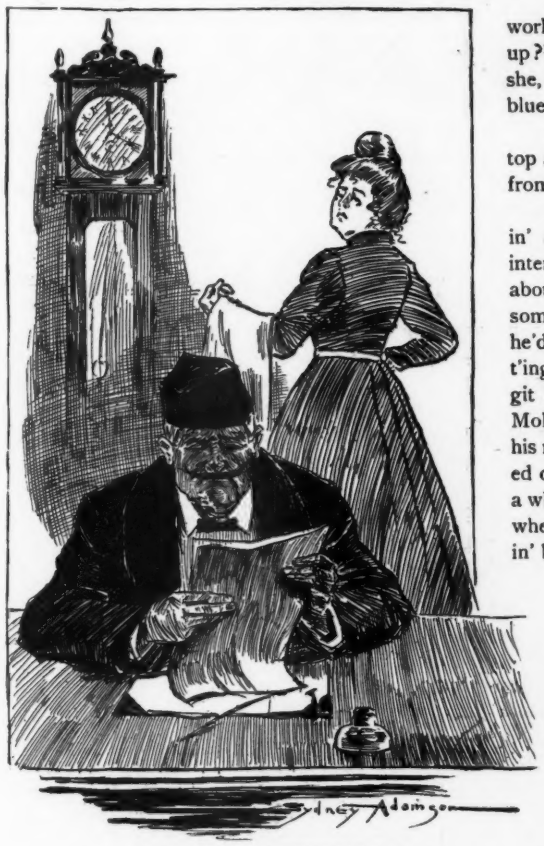
" 'Tis all over," says he; "yez should have called me lasht noight." An' wid thot he wint out.

Googan shtood waivin' back an' forth an' movin' his lips. Whin he shpoke 'twor little thot he said, but it wor true.

" Lasht noight—little Pat—darlint—'tis a blunderin' divil av a fool an' a brute Oi am."

An' Molly looked at his shwellin' t'roat an' shakin' shoulders wid oyes thot wor droy an' glaimin' wid graif. But she wor soilent.

DAVID H. TALMADGE.



A PUBLIC BENEFACTOR.

MR. SMITHKINS (*drawing up his will*)—" To the Pokeville home for incurables I leave and bequeath the sum of ten thousand dollars; to the Pokeville orphan asylum, forty thousand dollars; to the Pokeville Baptist church, five thousand dollars; to start a town library in the town of Pokeville, ten thousand dollars; to the "——

MRS. SMITHKINS—" Goodness me! are you crazy? You ain't worth ten cents, and you know it."

MR. SMITHKINS—" Oh, shut up and lemme alone! I'm going to take this will round to the president of the Pokeville national bank and have him witness it. I've got to overdraw my account there for twenty-seven dollars next week."

A RENEGADE'S TRAP.

WAYSIDE WALLY (*in angry distress*)—" Ef I hed hold uv der hobo w'ot marked de ' kind lady ' an' ' no dorg ' sign on dat fence I'd massacree 'im."

Photo. by Elmer Chickering.

JUDGE'S FAVORITES.

AMELIA BINGHAM.

Such beauty, oft, of form and face,
For heart and talent leaves no place;
But that with you is not the case,
Amelia Bingham.
Your charms are true the whole way through,
And that is why I sing 'em.

A JUVENILE IDEA.

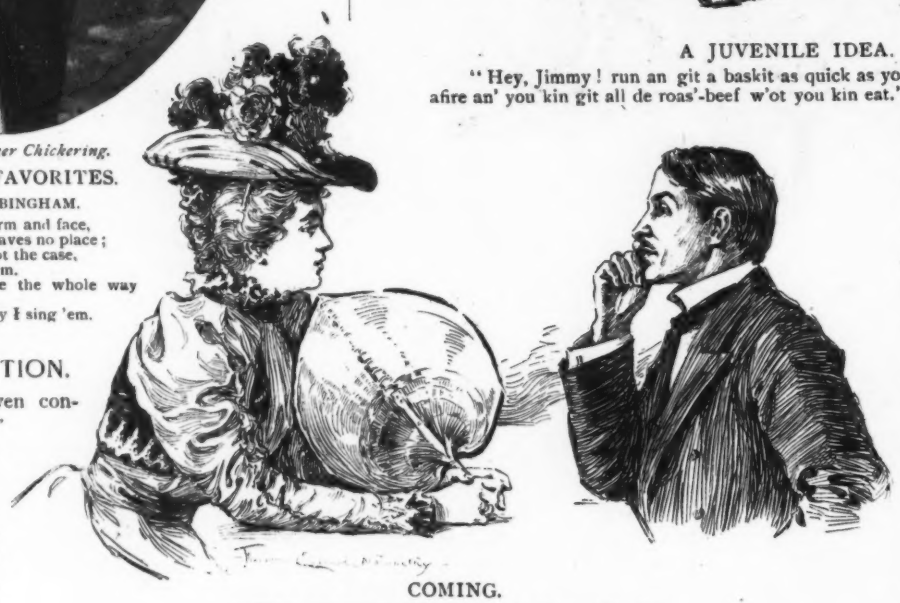
"Hey, Jimmy! run an git a baskit as quick as you kin. Dere's a butcher-shop afire an' you kin git all de roas'-beef w'ot you kin eat."

A NEW COMBINATION.

"ROCKEFELLER even controls poetry now."

"How do you make that out?"

"A great critic defined poetry as a combination of sweetness and light, and doesn't Rockefeller control both sugar and oil?"



COMING.

"Think you not," said the soph to the maiden fair,
"My mustache is becoming?"
The maiden answered, as his eye she met,
"It may be coming, but it isn't here yet!"

A TRUE INCIDENT.

THERE had been a smash-up and the young bicyclist lay insensible on the ground in the tangled wreck of his wheel.

With a clatter and clang the surgeon of the bicycle ambulance corps arrived on the scene. The sight that met his eyes blanched even his stern face.

Hurriedly jumping to the ground, he ran to where the youth lay groaning.

After fifteen minutes' careful examination the surgeon arose. "Any hope?" asked a bystander.

"Oh, it'll come around all right," he answered. "Tire punctured, five spokes out, handle-bar broken, rear wheel smashed to pieces, and one pedal missing, but with careful attention it can be fixed up as good as new. Same make of wheel as mine," and with that the ambulance surgeon remounted and sped away, while a sympathizing citizen carried the youth into his house and tried to stanch the flow of blood.

MC LANDBURGH WILSON.

AT A BIRD-SHOW.

Aunt Sarah (before a cage of white pigeons)—"For my part I like the birds best with colored foliage."

EASILY ANSWERED.

MISS ANCIENT GEWGAWS (*severely*)—"Mabel, were you smiling at those young men we just passed?"

MABEL—"Indeed I wasn't, auntie."

MISS ANCIENT GEWGAWS—"Then I should like to know who they were smiling at?"

EXCESSIVE PRUDENCE.

"JACK spends all he makes."

"If that's all he spends he must be economical."

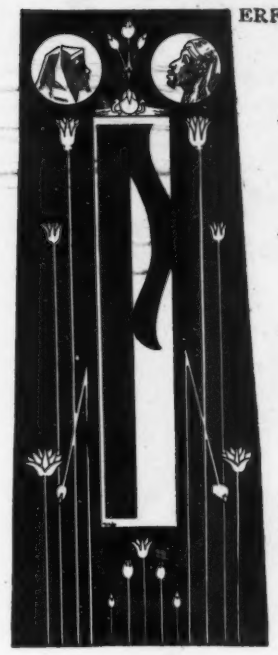
A POPULAR PERIODICAL.

"MY ONLY books
Were woman's looks,
And folly all they taught me."
So runs the lore
Of Thomas Moore,
And here 's the thought it brought me.
Down by the sea
I meet Marie
Successive summer seasons.
A saucy chit
With clever wit
For stratagems and treasons.
Her heart indeed
I cannot read,
Her vision haunts my slumber;
Fickle and sly,
I call her my
Midsummer-fiction number.

CAROLYN WELLS.

"THE LONG AND SHORT OF IT."

SONG OF THE SUNSET THRUSH.



PERFUME of rose and thyme
and wilding brush
Through all the twilight
strewn,
And lo! the sweet heartache
of one lone thrush
Holds rapt this bourn of
June.

A ghost of music—for my
pulses bound,
By these wild measures
stirred,
As if the vanished soul of
Poe had found
Its new life in a bird.

JOHN DAHL WHITE.

VERY LIKELY.

Sapsmith—"I have been in a bwown study all the awftahnoon, y' know, Miss Sally, and"——

Sally Gay—"A very light-brown one, I presume, Mr. Sapsmith?"

A SWEETENED IMPERTINENCE.

THE other day a trolley-car was moving rapidly up an out-of-the-way street in a southern city. Among the passengers was a pretty, dark-eyed school-girl, who was making merry with her companions in a way that kept the sunbeams fairly dancing through the car. Suddenly she sprang to her feet and, in a voice which Queen Victoria might have used when she was young, exclaimed, "Stop the car, quick!"

The conductor sprang at the bell-cord as if a catastrophe was imminent. It was against the rules for a car to stop in the middle of a block, but that car stopped in the middle of that block. Then the pretty girl threw a double handful of sunbeams into the eyes of the passengers and darted out of the door, leaving the astonished conductor this simple order, "Wait a minute."

THE SHOE ON THE OTHER FOOT.

MRS. FARMER GREENE (*who has made a mistake in her catalogue number and got Napoleon and Saint Anthony mixed*)—"Number one hundred and eighteen, Josiah, is Napoleon at St. Helena."

MR. FARMER GREENE—"Napoleon at St. Helena, eh? Wa-al, ef I'm enny kind uv a judge I should say it wuz St. Helena at Napoleon."

And the car waited—waited with all its load of hurrying passengers, and in utter contempt of consequences to the conductor, motorman, or their employers, while that daring girl stood on the sidewalk having her little talk with a young fellow she had happened to espy from the window.

The motorman peeped around the corner of the car with a pair of thunderbolts in his eyes, but at the sight of the young couple on the sidewalk the threatened lightning gave way to an innocent twinkle. The conductor stood with a puzzled look on his face and a hand on the bell-cord, but not a hand or foot moved until the girl came back and loosed the statue from its pedestal with an order to proceed.

And the odd part of it all was that not a single passenger blamed him, while those who could peep out of the windows were wishing that somebody would tell those young people that nobody was in the least bit of a hurry.

Of course it was an impertinence, and no thoughtful girl would have been guilty of such a thing; but the incident suggests the wonderful possibilities that are spread out before the girl who would make a right use of sweetness.

And it suggests also this pitiful fact—that the world is so hungry for sweets that it is glad to get even a sweetened impertinence.

E. L. PELL.

MARROW-FREEZING.

His business is a daily grind.
Watch the sparks as they fly beneath.
When he puts an edge on the knife you'll find
That he's put an edge on your teeth.

A CRITERION.

Askins—"Was it very expensive, professor?"

Professor Broadhead—"Oh, yes. I had to pay almost as much for it as if it had been given to me."

THE SECOND BEST.

"ISAACS, haven't you found that honesty is the best policy?"

"Yes, mine frendt; nexd to der fire-insurance bolicy."

AN EXPENSIVE SMILE.

JAYSON—"That girl's smile haunts me still."

PAYSON—"Her smile haunts me too. I asked her to have a smile the other night and she took it in champagne."

HAD HIS TOOLS WITH HIM.

Jasper Hardtack (the wit of Clover Corners, whose friends have persuaded him to take a trip to New York and secure a position on a humorous paper)—"Kin I git a job here?"

Editor (of the *Side Splitter*)—"You? What can you do? Can you write a comic article?"

Jasper Hardtack—"No, not thet exzac'ly; but th' fellers thet hangs raoun' th' groc'ry 'n' daown et th' station 'bout train-time tells me I'm awful funny."

Editor—"Indeed? Can you draw?"

Jasper Hardtack (hopefully)—"No; but ma put a home-made por'us-plaster atween my shoulders afore I left hum. It kin." J. D. CRANLEY.

JUST CHEWING.

DID you ever see a man doing something he didn't want to do, when no one was making him, just because he couldn't stop? I do it every time I go to the island. I get a bag of peanuts because I can't help myself. I know they're bad because I've often bought them before, but I've got to get them. Everybody gets them when they go to the island.

So I sit under the trees, listening to the music, and eat peanuts in the dark, with many wry faces as I chew up bad ones with the good. But I cannot stop. I've got to keep on chewing. I'm under the spell. They're terribly dry as well as hard, and it's hard work, this chewing peanuts, and makes you awful thirsty. I would like to get a drink *so* bad, but I won't leave my seat and go out of earshot of the music, or I would never get it again. So I stay where I am and try to eat more slowly. I stop chewing for two minutes, then I find my hand quietly stealing around to the bag again, and I curse the man that introduced peanuts on the island.

Why do I not stop buying them? Why, indeed? Were you ever on the island on a pleasant summer evening, listening to the band and with nothing to do? What did *you* do?

Every night I do the same thing. I go to hear the music, but I cannot resist the spell, and soon find myself doing the same as all the rest. Everywhere there is the crash of shells around me. It is so easy to crack them. You can do it without thinking about it at all. But I have made up my mind. I am going to learn to chew gum, and when I go again I will take a big bite just as I step off the boat. You think it a little thing. Perhaps you were never on the island on a fine night with nothing to do but listen to the band. J. M. JACKSON.

EQUAL TO THE OCCASION.

MR. HARDTACK—"This recommendation says you drink like a fish."
APPLICANT FOR POSITION—"Do it? Wa-al, I 'spec' he mean by dat I neber drink nuffin' but watah."

THE GAME IN DETAIL.

MR. GRANDE STANDER (*enthusiastically*)—"Casey died at first and the bleachers yelled."
MRS. GRANDE STANDER (*yawning*)—"How inconsistent! It's no worse to dye than bleach."

IN FUTURUM.

HE IS growing quite fastidious now, is Ethelbert Montrose,
At the hotel breakfast-table in the mountains, for he knows
That the season 's nearly ended. In another week, alas!
He'll be back in that hall-bedroom, up three long flights of stairs,
With his dress-coat 'neath the folding-bed, his shaving-kit on chairs;
He'll be swearing, fussing, fuming, that again it's come to pass
That he's cooking his own coffee on the gas. MADELINE ORVIS.

THE USUAL WAY.

Northern visitor—"Who composed the mob which lynched that negro last night, colonel?"

Colonel Bludsoe—"Ouah best citizens, suh."

CARELESSNESS PUNISHED.

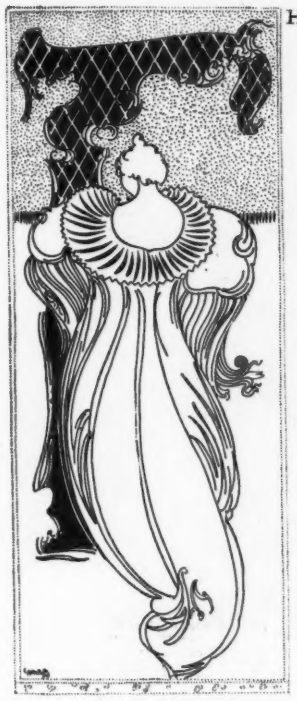
Gotham—"How did you get those punctures?"

Jersey—"I forgot to put the mosquito-netting over my wheel last night."

THE CHINESE ARE SO IMITATIVE.

Number 1 represents a wig; number 2, a false nose; number 3, a beard and mustache; number 4, a Chinaman who is seized with an idea; number 5 shows the combination.

SENTENCES PASSED BY THE JUDGE.



THE liar layeth his own snare.

The diagnosis does not cure the disease.

To gather a dinner of herbs is to eat it with gusto.

Who denies his offspring God hath already denied.

The reformer never hesitates to make the devil fetch and carry.

Economy consists in knowing when to spend and how to spare.

A persistently slovenly maid will demoralize the most conscientious mistress.

Bring me no water from a corrupted well; no gift from a gambler; from a liar no grace.

KATHRINE GROSJEAN.

PROFITABLE JUDICIAL FORETHOUGHT.

FRIEND—"I thought that colored chap was going to kick when you charged him four dollars for his marriage-certificate."

JUSTICE FOX—"He would if I hadn't numbered his certificate 4 11 44. You see he hadn't the heart to disturb that combination."

THE PARSON AND THE BARBER.

THE Reverend Mr. Moryll was getting shaved. The barber's hand was shaky and his breath was laden with the fumes of liquor. At last the expected happened—the blood flowed freely from a cut in the parson's chin. He looked at the barber severely.

"See," said he, "what comes from using whisky."

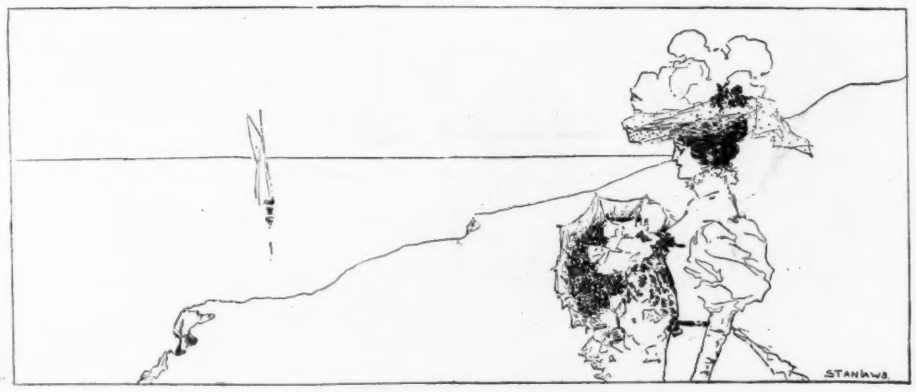
"Yessir," replied the barber; "it makes the skin very tender."

IT S some fellies thot fale sore agin nachure because rainshtorms do be always made av wather.

MUTUAL ADMIRATION.

JONAH, having emerged, looked admiringly at the big fish. "You are certainly a bird," he remarked.

The whale, for his part, looked with equal admiration at the prophet. "Speaking of birds," he rejoined, "you are something of a swallow yourself."



OBJECTIONABLE CLASSIFICATION.

ETHEL—"I feel hurt that your brother didn't take me for a sail."
MAY—"But there wasn't room, dear. He took all he could and said he'd return for the remainder."
ETHEL (*coldly*)—"But he need not return for *me*. I'm no remnant."

WHY NOT?

"HARRY," said Mrs. McBride, "what word should I use to describe a person who resorts to subterfuge?"

"I'd call him a subterfugitive," replied Mr. McBride.

"A SMILE," said Willie, "is only a laugh with the noise left out."

"Why did you leave your last place?"
"It was too heavy to bring along, mum."

A TRUTH.

THE man who does the least work is always the most tired.

FROM ENGLISH INTO FRENCH.

"HE TIED his horse to a locust,"
So Cooper says in his "Spy."
Translating the same, a Frenchman
Has him the animal tie,
Not to a tree, but an insect,
Explaining upon this wise,
That American locusts often
Attain to a monstrous size;
That this one, caught by a trapper
Somewhere along the coast,
Had been carefully stuffed and mounted
To serve as a hitching-post.

HELEN W. GROVE.

NOT OF THE BOTANICAL ORDER.

Mary (on her first visit to the farm, suddenly coming upon a flock of moulting hens)—"Why, grandpa! what is the matter with them? I thought hens always leaved out when they were chickens."

COMING THROUGH THE RYE.

MISSIONARY—"And so you admit that your countrymen are irretrievably in the dark?"
LAPLAND LUKE—"Well, I should say so! The sun don't shine here only once in six months."

ICELAND HUNTER—"As far as shooting the chutes is concerned, I'm sorry I shot the bear."

KAKI—"Where are you going to spend the summer?"
SOHO—"I'll have to go to some place where it is warmer or my wife will be kicking for a new seal-skin sacque to call the game square."

DOG (*crying*)—"I heard that the trolley had done away with the horses, and now *my* job is gone."

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CHIEF CACKIAC—"Dorothy! drop th
never handle soap again. Get some stakes
a settler's claim to some of this ice before i
those New York ice barons, and they get av
bergs."

OVERHEARD BY JUDGE'S EXPLORE

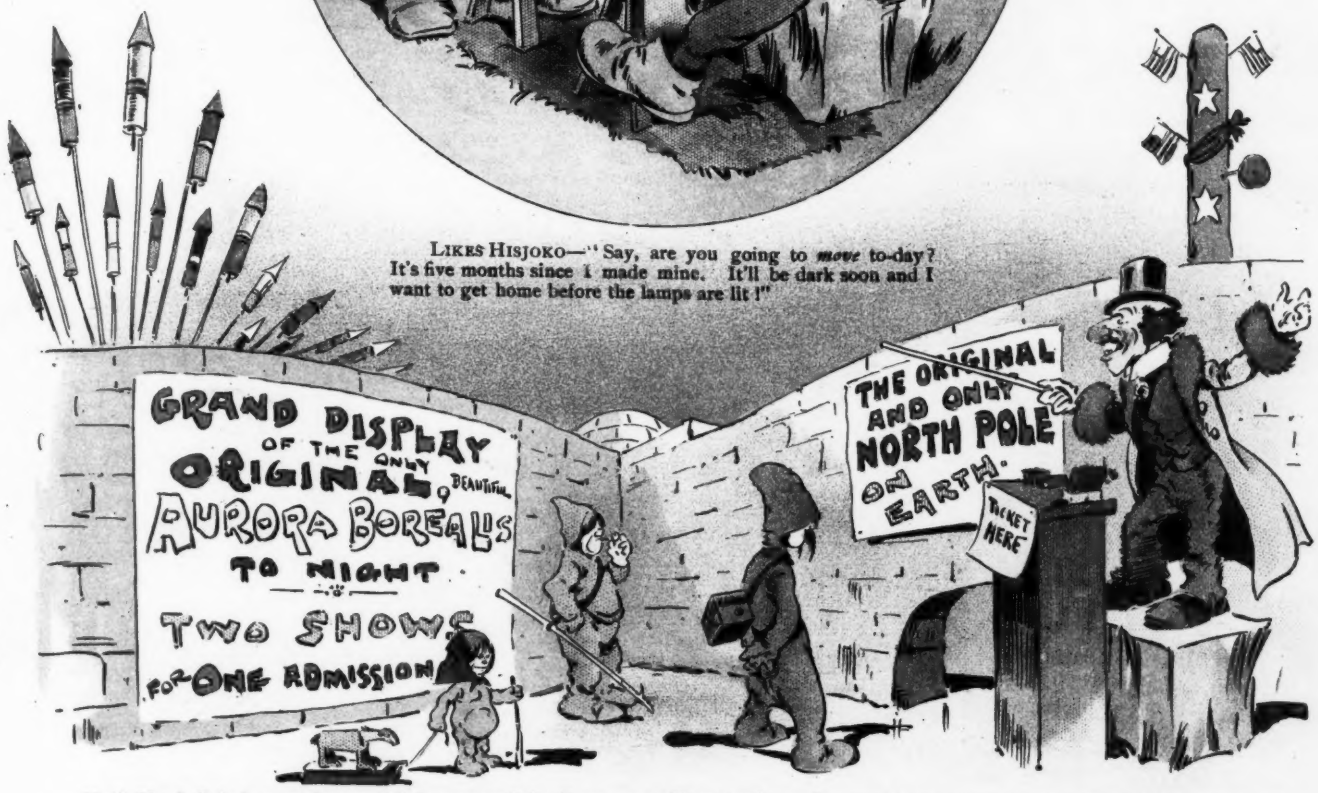
"Dorothy! drop that wash-board and n. Get some stakes and help me lay out e of this ice before it's all gobbled up by rons, and they get away with the choicest

POLO, THE WHITE BEAR—"I wonder who we are indebted to for sending this present?"

MRS. WHITE—"Say, old man! I believe the life of Fiji cannibals is preferable to the fast existence we live."

MR. SLATS—"True, madam. They get a missionary now and then, while it's a long time between Arctic explorers here."

LIKES HISJOKO—"Say, are you going to *move* to-day? It's five months since I made mine. It'll be dark soon and I want to get home before the lamps are lit!"



If the North Pole is ever discovered it is supposed the discoverers will put an ice wall around it and charge an entrance fee; then they will fence in the Aurora Borealis and make a trust of it, with one admission to both shows.

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EXPLORER IN THE POLAR REGIONS.

FROM JUDGE'S DICTIONARY.

ABILITY — A peculiar formation of the mind which prompts one to do the right thing in the right way, at the right time.

Abstraction — A metaphysical quality much affected by pickpockets.

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Yes, yes! He's wearied of bachelorhood,
Of "little club dinners" and practical jokes,
And yet I don't think of him quite as I could,
For you ought to see the cigars he smokes!

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With womanly likings for gems and frocks,
Ought not to awaken much pensive fear,
Or worry a girl who is minus "rocks."
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Yet really and truly he's not so warm,
For you ought to see the cigars he smokes!

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BRONCO PETE—"Naw—and go home wid it. It wuz at a church fair and he drew it in a grab-bag."

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MISS CHATTER—"No—observation. You always appear on the same day that Ethel refuses onions at dinner."

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"Why, a friend 's someone yuh tell things about yourself to so's they can tell about yuh to someone else."

VAIN REGRETS

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And, turning, saw at an adjacent frame,
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An angel working with a golden stick.
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He cried, "What settest thou?" The angel turned,
As though the speaker bold he would have spurned,
And coldly, proudly spake. "I set," said he,
"The names of those at Mrs. Corning's tea"
"And is mine one?" "No," said the angel, vexed.
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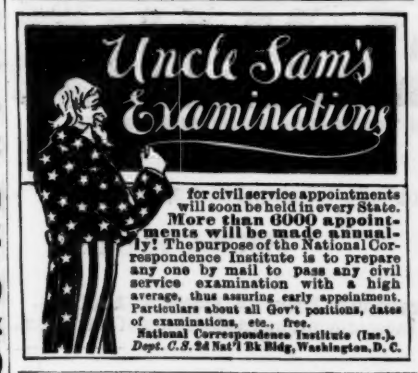

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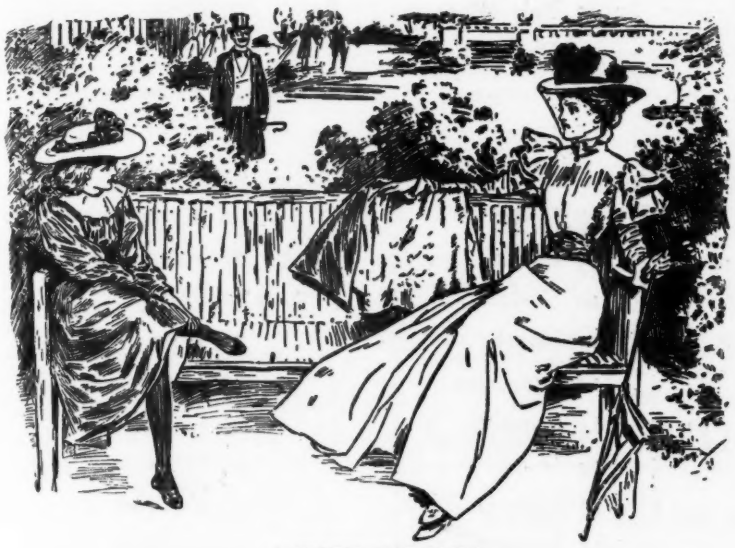

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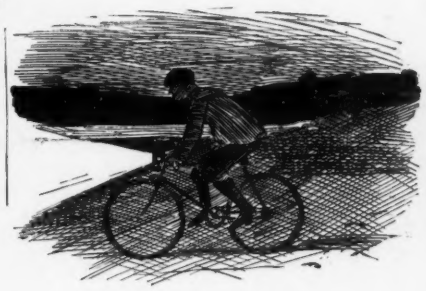

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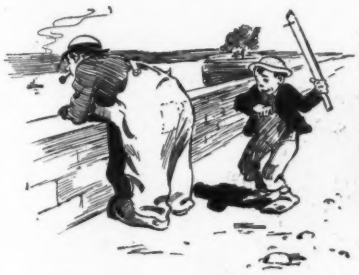

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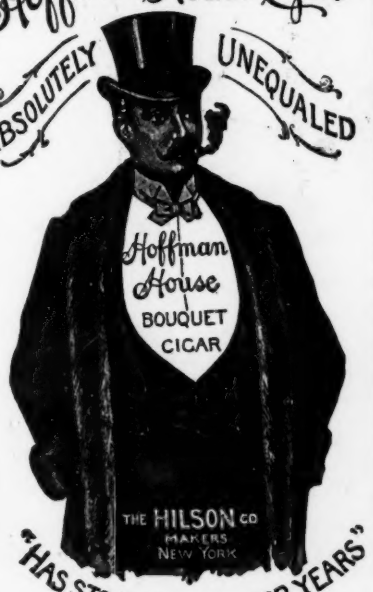

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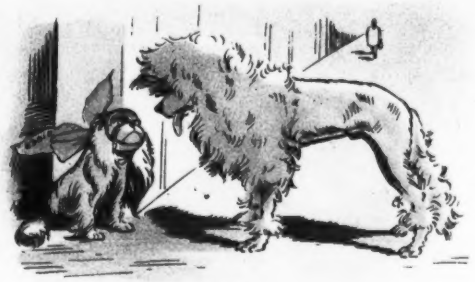

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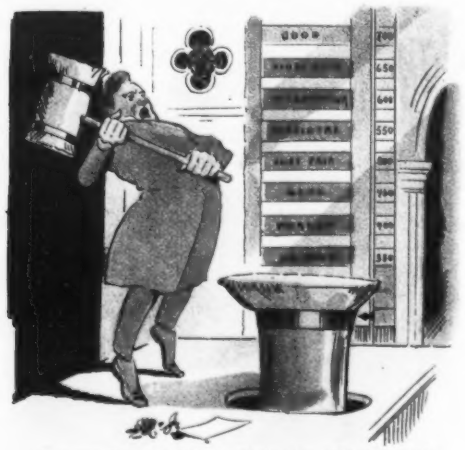

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